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In re Application of Donogh P. O'Brien et al. Serial No.: not yet assigned Filed: August 8, 2001 For: METHOD AND THERAPEUTIC COMPOSITIONS FOR THE TREATMENT OF MYOCARDIAL INFARCTION	Group Art Unit: not yet assigned Examiner: not yet assigned EXPRESS MAIL LABEL NO. EL 895 375 294 US
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to the examination of this application on its merits, please consider and enter into the file associated with its examination the following amendments and remarks.

In the Specification:

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Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 1, line 16, with the following rewritten paragraph:

--This application is a continuation application under 37 C.F.R. §1.53 (b) (1) claiming priority to co-pending application Serial No. 08/476,837 filed on 7 June 1995, which is a continuation of Serial No. 08/260,662 filed on 16 June 1994, which is a continuation of Serial No. 08/076,280 filed on 11 June 1993, which is a continuation of Serial No. 07/887,575 filed on 18 May 1992, which is a continuation in part of Serial No. 07/237,595 filed on 25 August 1988 which is a continuation in part of Serial No. 07/209,665 filed on 21 June 1988 which is a continuation in part of Serial No. 06/926,977 filed 4 November 1986 which applications are incorporated herein by reference.--

In the Claims:

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Please cancel claim 1.

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Please add the following new claim: